

LEARNED TO WRITE A FULL HOUSE IN ONE LESSON FOR THIS SHOW

Good Work Being Done in Currituck's Moonlight Schools

Currituck-Moonlight Schools in Currituck are making progress in a few places the teachers were the only ones present for the first lesson but in many others both teachers and pupils were present and a good beginning was made.

The school at Maple was well attended the first night, though only three students did work, the others present trying to help the work along. This school is doing well. One lady did especially good work in learning to write. She could print letters before but now she can write.

Superintendent R. W. Isley urges all teachers of the county to make every effort to make Moonlight School Month count. The school committeemen and every body in each community are invited to help.

Those who have shown their interest in educational matters by their efforts in the Moonlight School work are also urged to help carry out the compulsory attendance law. The law became effective in Pender Branch township November 1st and will become effective in Crawford, Beville, and Morehead townships November 15th for both races. This is the people's law and they can enforce it by sending the children to school.

ORGANIZE BETTERMENT ASSOCIATION

Harbinger, Nov. 9 - Miss Inez Reid of Poplar Branch spent the week end at the home of Mrs. E. L. Griggs. Miss Reid organized the Woman's Betterment Associations throughout the county and on Saturday afternoon met the women of the Harbinger community for that purpose. After the opening exercises she read a very interesting paper on "The Progress Currituck County has made in Education during the last Fifteen Years".

The officers of the Association were elected as follows: President, Mrs. N. T. Aydtlett, Vice President, Mrs. J. B. Owens, Secretary, Mrs. Inez Parker, Treasurer Mrs. J. W. Forbes, Reporter, Miss Lydia Insko.

After a number of interesting discussions the meeting adjourned to meet again on Friday before the first Sunday in December. It is very much hoped that every lady in the community will join the Association.

ROAD STREET PAVING COMPLETED

Paving on Road Street from Cypress to the railroad has now been completed and the job was formally turned over to the city Monday at the meeting of the board of aldermen.

This work was the first brick paving undertaken by the town, as it has been the custom heretofore to have this work done by a private contractor. The cost of the job was \$122 as compared with \$1.35 per square yard for the work on Riverside Avenue and with \$1.49 on Main street.

Experts who have inspected the job are said to have pronounced it most satisfactory. Mr. Commander, the City Manager, is confident that no better job has ever been done in this town.

The city engineer, Mr. Paul Jones, at 12 o'clock today took a tour of the new paving job with a number of citizens. He was accompanied by the city clerk and the city engineer.

Mrs. E. S. Gregory of Shawboro was in the city Wednesday.

No Musical Comedy at Allama yet as such Popular Prices

The type of henpecked husband presented in Halton Rowell's famous musical comedy Henpecked Henry which will be seen here at the Alkrama next Tuesday is absolutely different from the accepted idea of a stage 'Barnaby'. The character is a creation and unlike any ever presented here before. It is a revelation in musical comedy characterization. 'Henry' is henpecked and desperately afraid of his wife, but he never allows her to know it. Nine out of every ten husbands will appreciate 'Henry', sympathize with him and secretly acknowledge that he is a replica of themselves. 'Henpecked Henry' is drawn true to life and at the same time is the funniest character ever presented upon the American stage. The musical numbers are augmented by a chorus of pretty girls who wear the most gorgeous costumes ever used with a one night stand production.

'Henpecked Henry' is described by an enthusiastic reviewer as a "perfect succession of side splitting comedy piled one on another with a dash of pathos and gusto that the right is doing the continuous. The producing managers claim that it is the funniest show in the world. In many towns the laughter has been so loud and continued that attaches of the theatre have been compelled to caution the laughers against so much noise."

'Henpecked Henry' comes here with the highest endorsement from the neighboring cities. The managers have written ahead telling other managers of the merits of the attraction. Traveling men take pleasure in endorsing it. Newspaper writers without a single exception pronounce the show first class and the chorus one of unusual beauty and ability.

SAYS 'SOMETHING STARTLING'

Returning from New York City this week with big lots of ready to wear garments for ladies, misses, and children, Mr. S. R. Siff announced that he has entirely cleaned up the stock of certain manufacturers in the north and will offer bargains in the ready to wear department of his store at 500 Broadway street. He says something startling in his advertisement on the back page of this issue. The Advance is speculating in his new line of goods and invites shoppers to call and see for themselves. This attractive apparel.

TO RE-ORGANIZE B. Y. P. U.

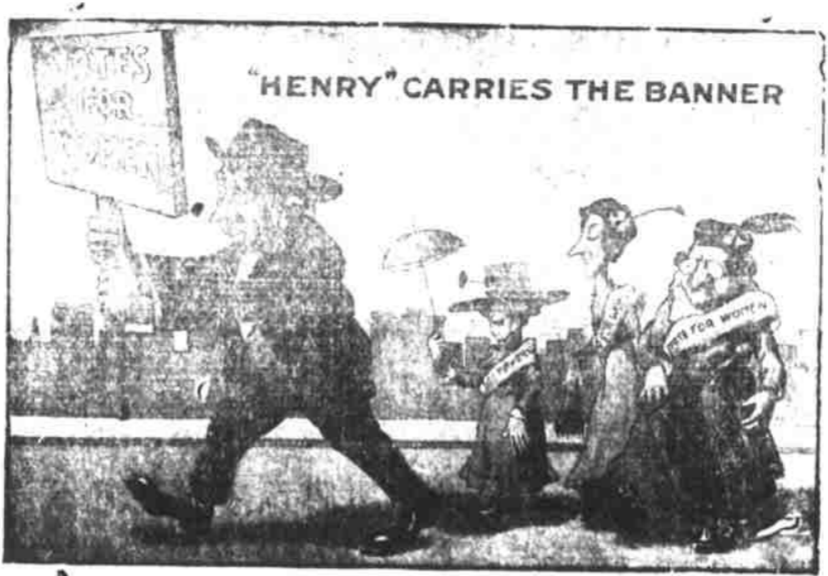
The young people of the First Baptist church will meet in the Sunday School annex on next Sunday at seven p. m. to re-organize their Baptist Young People's Union. All young people from fifteen years of age up are invited to be present.

GOOD FISHING ON BANKS

Mr. C. H. Fuleher, representative in Dore for one of the big fish companies in Baltimore passed through the city Tuesday on his way to Baltimore for a business conference with his principals. Mr. Fuleher says that for the past few weeks there has been fairly good sport in the Dore and that the fish are plentiful. He says that the fish are plentiful in the Dore and that the fish are plentiful in the Dore.

FOR HOME on Polk street next to Brad Sanders, can be bought cheap for cash or on easy terms. Apply to Box 18, City. nov 12 31 npl

AT THE ALKRAMA



'HENRICKID HENRY', Tuesday, Nov. 16th.

STUDENTS TEACH MOONLIGHT SCHOOLS

Chapel Hill, November 9 - The Moonlight School movement in Chapel Hill township started a splendid dash on the night of November 9th. Subsequent meetings will follow for three nights a week throughout November. Six school houses have been opened at the following points: Smiths Level, Fowler's Schoolhouse, Caylander, Clark's Chapel, Orange and Mount Carmel.

The number registered for attendance ranged from forty five to seventy five at each place with a total of three hundred. Three schools at the University, Duke, and the Chapel Hill of Thomas C. Rossman, D. D., of Wake County, now secretary of the Y. W. C. Y. Association asked for fifty teachers. Over 100 students responded; fifty four of these have been selected, six being assigned to each school under a principal. Mr. J. B. Hull, of Buncombe, is principal at Mount Carmel. F. E. Bradshaw, of Orange at Caylander; R. B. House, of Warren, at Orange; Ralph Stockton, of Forsyth, at Clark's Chapel; Harold Knorr, of Pennsylvania, at Fowler's; T. C. Boushall, of Wake, at Smith's Level, and General Superintendent, Marion Fowler of Durham has charge of the Carrboro Night School, which runs six nights a week, and Barney Pitts, of Mecklenburg, the two negro night schools, that run five nights a week. Each of these has sixty five enrolled.

The student's report that the work in the Moonlight Schools has been received with the greatest enthusiasm, the school houses being taxed to their capacity by the people from the surrounding country. Courses are being offered not only to literate, but to more advanced courses in arithmetic, writing, spelling, and English grammar. Illustrated by letters with notes provided by the government and by the University. All the schools are within radius of four miles and are reached by automobiles generously loaned to the students by citizens of the town.

WORK FOR BETTER EDUCATION

Deals N. C. Nov. 9th - A Moonlight School was organized here Friday night November 6th. It was found that there was no illiteracy in the community but that there were a number who wished for a better education.

There are now twelve enrolled in the school and all are very much interested in the work. Arithmetic, spelling and reading are the subjects which are being taken up. Mrs. W. A. Phillips is the teacher in charge of the work.

PLAY WASHINGTON MONDAY

The Washington High School football team will play the Elizabeth High School team on Monday.

COLORED TEACHERS MEET

The colored teachers of Harbinger met on Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. K. Hendon.

WILL HOLD BAZAAR

The ladies of Blackwell Memorial church will hold a bazaar the first of December with a large and attractive assortment of articles in crocheting, knitting and embroidery and similar work. These will be offered at reasonable prices and the ladies of the church are urging their friends to do their Christmas shopping at the bazaar. This will make definite announcements in regard to the bazaar later on.

FOR BETTER SCHOOLS

Currituck, November 10 - Superintendent, R. W. Isley has called meetings at the following school houses throughout the county to discuss with the people of the various communities the subject of better schools. Tuesday, November 16th, Jarvisburg. Wednesday night, November 17th, Doreville Point. Thursday night, November 18th, Harbinger. Friday night, November 19th, Grandy. Saturday night, November 20th, Pender Branch. These meetings are of great importance and everybody in the communities is urged to be present.

BIG PURCHASES FOR DEPARTMENT STORES

On his latest business trip north Mr. O. F. Gilbert, proprietor of the Alkrama Department store and the Peoples Bargain Store made a tremendous purchase of six thousand dollars worth of merchandise for his two big stores.

This purchase includes, of course, the many departments of the two stores, and nothing of interest to shoppers was overlooked by Mr. Gilbert. For his long experience in buying, he has learned to get just what his customers need and want.

The new stock of ladies and misses suits and coats and a large variety of children's coats are among the interesting items of Mr. Gilbert's new stock.

For the men there are handsome new suits and coats of excellent grade and style at extremely low prices.

Mr. Gilbert returned Wednesday and the goods are on the way coming by express wagon loads, all bought for cash. They will be put in order in the two stores as rapidly as possible and will be sold at most attractive prices. Further and more definite announcement of these bargains will be made later.

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HELMAN-DEW

Wiggins, H. and Miss Violet Dew, 1110 N. Newport News, were married by Rev. J. K. Hendon at 10:30 a. m. Monday. The bride and groom returned from Norfolk.

MANY ENROLL AT HARBINGER

Few Illiterates But Many Are Attending Moonlight Schools There

Harbinger, N. C. November 9 - The teachers of Harbinger public school organized the Moonlight school on Monday, November 1st, with a very good attendance. It was decided to meet every Monday, Wednesday and Friday night in the week at seven o'clock.

Work is being done in reading, writing, arithmetic, agriculture and English. On account of the small number who cannot read and write the teachers have decided to give instruction also to those who wish to refresh their memories in the elementary subjects. Those at work in the school believe that much will be accomplished by this undertaking and feel very much encouraged by the good attendance and earnest interest shown. It is desired that all who want help or want to help in the work shall come out to the school.

The new room of the Harbinger school building has been completed making three large comfortable rooms of which the people of the community are very proud. There is also much pride in the excellent attendance.

Rev. Marshburn filled his first appointment at the Harbinger Episcopal church Sunday.

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QUIETLY WEDDED AT BRIDES HOME

Miss Ruth Sawyer Bride of President Young Business Man

The home of Mrs. M. J. Sawyer, on West Main Street, was the scene of a quiet but very pretty wedding on Wednesday at fifteen minutes to two, in the afternoon when Miss Ruth Sawyer became the bride of Mr. Edwin Feroese Spencer in a ceremony performed in a very impressive manner by Dr. B. C. Henning, pastor of the First Baptist Church.

The home was decorated in ferns and white and yellow chrysanthemums and the ceremony was witnessed only by the immediate families of the bride and groom. The bride wore a blue cloth traveling suit, with hat and gloves to match, and carried a corsage bouquet of orchids and lilies of the valley.

Immediately after the ceremony the bride and groom left on the north-bound train for a tour of northern cities.

Mrs. Spencer is the very attractive daughter of Mrs. Minard J. Sawyer of this city, and the groom is one of the town's most successful younger business men, being a member of the firm of McCabe & Grice.

MISCREANTS FLEE FROM DOG

J. W. Shores returned Wednesday night from Merry Hill in Bertie County where he was called Tuesday by telegram to run down the miscreants who had wantonly broken up a peanut picker belonging to Mr. Ed. Taylor of that section.

Mr. Shores arrived on the scene and soon tracked the offenders to the main road and from there about two miles on to the house of a Mr. Willford whose nephew, Jesse Willford, and hired man Ed. Bowden, were found to have taken sudden leave. The young men are reported to have been seen on bicycles twenty miles away and still going and their sudden night is taken as substantial proof that Mr. Shores' dog had again run criminals to earth.

MEETS TUESDAY AFTERNOON

The D. H. Hill Chapter, U. D. G. will meet Tuesday afternoon at half past three o'clock with Mrs. F. G. Jacobs on Church street. All members are requested to be present, this meeting being the meeting for the election of officers.

CHRIST CHURCH

The Woman's Bible Class will meet at four o'clock this afternoon. Mr. Ashby will conduct the class. Services on Sunday will be held at eleven in the morning and at seven-thirty in the evening with special music at both services. The public is cordially invited to be present.

SPELLING BEE AT CITY ROAD

The Parsonage Society of City Road Methodist Church will hold their annual old fashioned Spelling Bee on Friday night of next week. Mr. Boush Leigh will take the part of the Schoolmaster on this occasion. All visitors are invited to spell. There will also be recitations, readings and music and a very pleasant evening is promised all who attend.

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